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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

2 An information handling system is disclosed including a plurality of information works, at
3 least one application, and a reverse cross-reference control subsystem. Each information work
4 includes information, and cross-references can be between information in the respective information
5 work. The reverse cross-reference control subsystem, in response to a user initiating use of a cross-
6 reference, determines whether the cross-reference is associated with the at least one application, and,
7 if so, initiates processing the application. The system, in another aspect, includes a workflow flow
8 chart associated with an information work and a control module that initiate usage by a user of the
9 associated workflow flow chart in response to a request therefor from the user while the user is
10 utilizing the respective information work.